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NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

The Dick Fowler departed for Cairo at 8 a. m.
The City of Clarksville had a good patronage on her departure for Elizabeth today at noon.
The Hopkins was in and out for Evansville today as usual.
The towboat Wm. Towle left this morning for Cumberland river after a tow of spoke timber.
The Tennessee leaves this afternoon for the upper Tennessee river. She will carry a heavy freight trip.
The Ida will be taken out on the docks next week instead of the ways as was stated in this morning's paper.
The towboat Kenton left this morning for Caseyville.
Mr. J. B. Flach, of the Bettie Owens, is thinking of applying for a position as chief engineer on a war vessel.
The Sunshine from Memphis arrived here late yesterday afternoon flying very light. She lay here a few minutes and departed for Cincinnati at 5:30. She had a lighter in tow.

WANTED.

Situation as salesman in grocery, clothing or shoe store. Can furnish letters and references if necessary. Wages reasonable. Address, 2433 X. Y. Z. care of Sun.

WANTS A DIVORCE.

Mary Jane Spicer today filed suit in the circuit court against her husband, Daniel Spicer, for divorce. She alleges abandonment, and says the defendant now lives in St. Louis.

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The American Army Under General Shafter
is Within Four Miles of the
Doomed City.

SAMPSON CONTINUES HIS BOMBARDING.

Is Preparing to Co-Operate With the Army in
the Final Assault Upon Santiago—Will
Reduce or Capture the Forts.

THE FINAL BATTLE MAY OCCUR NOW AT ANY TIME.

Scripps-McRae Service.
CHICAGO, June 25.—Special to the News—General Lawton's advance guard is marching to Castilla, which is just four miles from Santiago, today.
General Linares, the commander-in-chief of the Spanish land forces, is entrenched at Castilla, and a battle is expected there very soon.
Admiral Sampson has moved his ships to a position where he can to the greatest advantage co-operate with the land forces in the great final attack upon Santiago's defenses.
Admiral Sampson continues the bombardment today and will not cease until every fort along the coast between Daiquiri and Santiago is destroyed or has surrendered.
The American troops have captured everything within one mile of Castilla.
The Spaniards burned all their blockhouses as they retreated.
Another dispatch to the News says General Shafter has cleared the way to the heights surrounding Santiago, and that a general assault will probably be made today.
Five thousand Cubans have landed at Alturas, a village a few miles east of Santiago on the coast, and will co-operate with General Shafter's forces.

ANOTHER CUBAN VICTORY REPORTED.

Scripps-McRae Service.
PLAYA DEL ESTE, June 25.—Reports have reached here that Gen. Castillo with two thousand Cuban soldiers have defeated the Spaniards yesterday at Guasima with heavy losses. The Cuban losses are under fifty killed. The Cubans captured two train loads of food and one hundred tons of coal. The Spanish loss in killed and wounded is unknown. Gen. Garcia with reinforcements is expected now at almost any time.

RUMORS OF A BATTLE TODAY.

Scripps-McRae Service.
MADRID, June 25.—It is reported that the government has received a long dispatch announcing that fighting is in progress today on land and sea near Santiago.
Scripps-McRae Service.
CAPE HAYTIE, June 25.—It is reported that a battle is in progress, and that the troops and ships are engaged around Santiago. Reports say that the Americans are advancing.

TO PROTECT BRITISH INTEREST.

Scripps-McRae Service.
London, June 25.—The British battleship Illustrious left for Lisbon this morning to protect British interests on the Spanish coast in the event that the scene of hostilities is transferred there by the visit of an American fleet.

GERMANY'S POSITION.

Not in the Habit of Taking up the Cause of a Corpse.

Scripps-McRae Service.
Berlin, June 25.—A member of the German cabinet in a conversation relative to the reports of her friendship for Spain said that Germany was not in the habit of espousing the cause of a corpse. And he added that, all the world knows that Spain is a corpse.

FLEEING FROM HAVANA.

Reported Battle Between the Spaniards and Insurgents in Santa Clara.

Scripps-McRae Service.
Madrid, June 25.—A Havana dispatch says that a number of fugitives have sailed from Havana for Mexico. The dispatch also says that Gen. Bazas' column engaged a force of insurgents in Santa Clara province recently, at which time a Spanish lieutenant and nine privates were wounded and three insurgents were killed.

A PRIZE CREW.

Scripps-McRae Service.
Key West, June 25.—A prize crew was today brought in by the brig Arapahoe, which was captured by the blockading squadron. Ten passengers and crew as prisoners were aboard. The captured vessel was bound to Havana from Vera Cruz with provisions.

PEACE RUMORS CONTINUE.

Scripps-McRae Service.
London, June 25.—Madrid dispatches assert that rumors of coming peace proposals continue.

find themselves. Representative Barry, Livingston and others say that silver will be crowded to the wall if the party takes up the fight against territorial acquisition as a party question; that the latter will be the newest issue and the one most prominent.

Representative Livingston comes out boldly in an interview and says that Cleveland is the logical leader if free silver is to be sidetracked for a non-colonial policy.
Ex-President Cleveland sees the tendency of the administration, and his object is a note of the warning, that is all.

CAMARA'S FLEET.

Rome, June 25.—A semaphore on the Isle of Petellaria reports sighting the Spanish fleet Wednesday night, going in the direction of Suez. Petellaria is a small Italian island in the Mediterranean, south of Sicily, in the path of vessels bound for Suez.

The following is the strength of Camara's squadron:
Pelayo, battleship; 9,000 tons displacement; 2 12-inch; 2 11-inch; 1 6.2-inch, 12 4 7-inch guns.
Carlos V., cruiser; 9,200 tons displacement; 2 11-inch, 8 5.5, 4 4-inch guns.
Audaz, Osado and Proserpino, torpedo boat destroyers.
Rapido, Patriota and Garalda, unarmored ships.
Pielago and Buena Ayers, converted trans-Atlantic liners.
Pana, Colon, Noradonga, San Francisco, Antonio Lopez, Alfonso XII; six trans-Atlantic liners with stores, ammunition, etc., and 4,000 troops.

The only real fighting ships are the Pelayo and Carlos V., and the torpedo boat destroyers. The others are useless in a fight with Dewey's ships.
TROUBLE EXPECTED
When the Franklin Case at Benton Comes Up.

Several Marshall county men in the city today report that there is a great deal of feeling there over the Franklin matter. Franklin was convicted of the murder of Daisy Sullivan nearly a year ago, but has never been sent to the penitentiary, and has never been sentenced by Judge Hubbard, although the papers have said he was.

"The other day it was given out that the papers in the case, which were left in the office of the lawyers for the defense, had been accidentally burned, and this has aroused some of the people. Many do not believe that the papers have been burned, and some claim that it is only a ruse to get the defendant out of jail. There may be no truth in these reports, but there is considerable feeling over it is not to be doubted.

If something is not done in the case in a few days, some openly threaten trouble.
ODD FELLOWS' NOTICE.
All members of Ingleside Lodge and Mangum Lodge are requested to be at the lodge room at 2 p. m. tomorrow to go in a body to attend memorial service at LaBelle park.
FRED HEILBRON,
Secretary Ingleside No. 135.
CHAS. EMMERT,
Secretary Mangum No. 21.

TRACK BEING BUILT.

The wooden track at the baseball park is progressing nicely, and the races that begin the 29th, and last six days, promise to be a great success. The five lady riders who are to contest will be here the earlier part of next week. Mr. W. H. Layton, who will have charge, has every assurance of success.

LIVE BIRDS WANTED.

150 live pigeons, no young, wanted not before next Saturday.
GEN. CLER.

THE WAR TAX.

The tax on money orders will go into effect next Thursday, and then there will be an additional two cents on all money orders. There will be a similar tax on bank notes, drafts, and such things.
ARRESTED ON SUSPICION.
George Washington McFall, colored, was arrested this afternoon by Mr. Emil Gourieux on suspicion of having stolen a lot of iron and brass and a boat. At press time he was in the lockup and the police were investigating the case.

FINED \$5 AND COSTS EACH.

Justice Settle this afternoon decided the case against Mr. and Mrs. Gardner, charged with whipping Richard Bruein, a boy who lived with them. The case was tried yesterday, and today judgment was rendered for \$5 and costs each.

A woman named Cottrell called on Mayor Lang yesterday afternoon and asked for transportation to Greenville, Tenn., but was given transportation only to Fulton. She said she came here to get some insurance money on the life of her daughter, but that her son-in-law beat her to it, over which she was very indignant. She claimed a lawyer had talked her out of \$10 to take the case.

Dr. Edwards, Ear, Eye, Nose and Throat Specialist, Paducah, Ky.
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A HARD BATTLE.

About Ten Americans Killed
in the Fight Five Miles
From Santiago.

ROUGH RIDERS COMPLIMENTED.

General Shafter Recognizes the
Bravery of His Soldiers
in Their First
Battle.

SHAFTER'S OFFICIAL REPORT.

It Places Our Dead at About
Ten, and Wounded at About
Forty, Some of Them
Mortally.

THE ENEMY DRIVEN TOWARDS SANTIAGO.

The Battle Lasted an Hour and
the Enemy's Position Is Now
Occupied by the American
Forces.

SPANIARDS WERE STRONGLY ENTRENCHED.

Scripps-McRae Service.
Washington, June 25.—The official report from General Shafter received today at the war department and further news from Gen. Wheeler place our loss in the battle yesterday at about ten killed and forty wounded.

Capt. Wainwright reported as injured is unhurt.
The Spanish forces occupied a very strong entrenched position on a high hill. The firing lasted an hour, and the enemy were driven from their position, which is now occupied by our troops about a mile and a half from Sevilla. The enemy retired towards Santiago.

YESTERDAY'S BATTLE.

Playa del Este, Cuba, June 25.—A serious engagement occurred five miles from Santiago on land. One thousand American cavalry and rough riders fought 2,000 Spaniards in the thickets, driving them into the city. The American loss was twelve or thirteen dead. Fifty were wounded, including six officers. Several of the wounded will die. Twelve Spaniards were found dead in the brush. The Spaniards had every advantage of numbers and positions.

Among the wounded are Edward Marshall, correspondent of the New York Journal and Advertiser, wounded seriously.
General Young commanded the expedition with the regulars, while Colonel Wood directed the operations of the rough riders several miles west. Both parties struck the Spaniards about the same time and the fight lasted an hour. The Spaniards opened fire from the thicket and brush.

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and had every advantage in position and numbers, but the troops drove them back from the start, stormed the blockhouse around which they made a final stand and sent them scattering over the mountains. Americans now hold a position at the threshold of Santiago, with more troops going forward constantly, and they are preparing for a final assault upon the city.

SHAFTER PRAISES HIS MEN.

Scripps-McRae Service.
Playa del Este, June 25.—General Shafter today personally complimented the rough riders and the First and Tenth cavalry for their bravery in the field yesterday.

Seventeen Americans were killed in yesterday's battle, and forty-three wounded, some of whom will die.

NO NEWS AT WASHINGTON.

Scripps-McRae Service.
Washington, June 25.—At 10 o'clock this morning no official report of yesterday's battle had been received at the war or navy departments.

EFFECT IN LONDON.

Scripps-McRae Service.
London, June 25.—The Standard says that the news of Gen. Shafter's landing at Santiago has greatly depressed diplomatic circles, and it is thought that the possibilities of peace are further off than ever.

THE DEAD HEROES.

Scripps-McRae Service.
The following were killed in the battle yesterday:

Captains A. K. Capron and Hamilton Fish, Jr.; privates Tillman and Dawson, of Troop L; private Dougherty, of Troop L; private W. T. Erwin, of Troop F. All of these are rough riders. In the First Cavalry Privates Dix, York, Bejork, Kolb, Berlin and Lenmark were killed. Capt. Luna, of the Cuban army; and privates James Crews, Edward Culver and Harry Heffner were also killed.

HIGHBINDER WAR.

San Francisco, June 25.—It is alleged that another Highbinder war is imminent in Chinatown. The shooting of Chung Wing two nights ago, it is said, has been followed by threats against at least four other prominent Chinese. A price of \$500 is reported to have been put on their heads. The men are all manufacturers and they have gained the enmity of a portion of their countrymen by employing non-union laborers.

NO CABINET YET.

Scripps-McRae Service.
Paris, June 25.—M. Peytral has failed in his effort to form a cabinet. For nice dry sawdust tel. 29. 11

MAY BE TO-DAY.

General Miles Believes That the Final Assault on Santiago by the American Forces May Occur Today.

SURRENDER OF SANTIAGO WAS DEMANDED.

But the Spanish Commanders Refused to Consider it—They Will Wait Until the City Is Attacked Before Giving Battle.

GEN. BLANCO'S VERSION OF YESTERDAY'S BATTLE.

Scripps-McRae Service.
WASHINGTON, June 25.—General Miles believes that the final assault on Santiago will occur today and continue until the city is surrendered and occupied by the American troops.

DEMANDED SANTIAGO'S SURRENDER.

Scripps-McRae Service.
CHICAGO, June 25.—A Record special from off Santiago says that Sampson Thursday demanded the surrender of Santiago. Admiral Cervera and General Linares refused absolutely to consider the matter. A captured Spanish courier, who was brought to General Lawton's headquarters, was found to have in his possession messages to Spanish commanders to fall back to Santiago, and not risk a battle until the city is attacked.

BLANCO'S REPORT OF YESTERDAY'S FIGHT.

Scripps-McRae Service.
MADRID, June 25.—General Blanco cables that the Americans attacked yesterday the outposts of Santiago, Siboney and Saville. That three Spaniards were killed and three wounded. The Americans also attacked General Ruben's force, but were repulsed and pursued by the Spaniards, who later captured a large amount of ammunition and stores. Caseld was bombarded by the Americans yesterday.

CABINET CRISIS EXPECTED TODAY.

Scripps-McRae Service.
MADRID, June 25.—At a cabinet meeting today the war program was discussed. It is confidently expected that this will result in a ministerial crisis.
The Economical society, of Barcelona, will ask the government to begin arrangements looking to the attainment of peace.

THE CORTES HAS BEEN CLOSED.

Scripps-McRae Service.
MADRID, June 25.—Contrary to general expectations the closing of the cortes last night was without particular incident, though attended with much excitement. The republicans are indignant at the closing.
Public attention is almost equally divided between the American advance in Cuba and the critical outlook in Spain. Both are creating much apprehension.

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